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VACUUM PACKAGING MACHINE FOR PRODUCT PACKAGES WITH

MULTIPLE PRODUCTS

Amendment

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants submit this response and accompanying remarks for the Examiner's consideration, in response to the Office Action mailed August 13 2007.

Amendments to the Specification appear on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

A Petition for a one (1) month Extension of Time is attached.